

Year 2 learning from home





Dear parents/carers,

These activities are designed to keep children busy and enjoying learning, while providing flexibility for parents.

We realise that the family will need to share laptops or mobiles so only plan to do what you can. Everyone's homes are different so the activities we suggest are just a guide to help. We recognise that parents may be working, caring for sick family members or looking after little ones so choosing activities is up to you. We do not expect parents to be teachers and we are not going to be checking up to see how much work has been done!

The activities guide you and your child to be able to learn together or on their own.

	Morning		Afternoon
<p>6th April – 10th April 2020</p>	<p>Every morning Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are 3 activities suggested for the start of every day. • The 3 activities are the same every day for this week • Practising and repeating daily, helps with routines and helps you to remember learning. 	<p>Activity of the Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is 1 daily activity suggested. • The daily activity is different every day. 	<p>Activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Choose activities from the suggestions below.
<p>Monday</p>	<p>Warm Up</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily half-hour PE/fitness session with Joe Wicks. Live at 9 am every day but can be watched at any time. Click here 	<p>Amazing animals</p> <p>Using the link to DK Find out or an information book, choose your favourite animal. Draw and label your chosen animal. Explain why they are your favourite animal. <i>Example: A tiger is my favourite animal because it has a beautiful striped coat which it uses to camouflage itself.</i> Explain where you might find them in the world. <i>N.B Scroll down the page of DK Findout to find this information</i></p>	<p>Login to Purple Mash by clicking on the icon in  my.uso.im</p> <p>There are activities to support learning across the whole curriculum from Reception to Year 6</p>

	<p>Activity 1 – Phonics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phonics revision -Read, Write Inc every day (Set 1 9.30 am, Set 10 am, Set 3 10.30 am. You can join in with them live at these times or they will be available for 24 hours) 	<p>Add two other things you have found out about them. Watch a DK Findout video about another animal</p>	<p>Art - Use the website BBC Bitesize to find activities for all subjects.</p> 
Tuesday	<p>Activity 2 - Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose a book to read. This may be one from home or online on Oxford Owl. You can read by yourself or you can read to an adult.  <p>Activity 3 - Maths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Watch the video lesson for the day on White Rose Maths Click here to open White Rose Maths Then click on Get the Activity to answer some questions. You can watch the video as many times as you need to help you understand! 	<p>Shape safari Walk around your house. How many squares can you find? Write this down on a piece of paper. Do the same for rectangles, triangles, hexagons and pentagons. Using a ruler or something with a straight side, draw each shape on a piece of paper. Write down how many sides each shape has. Write down how many corners each shape has. Carefully cut out each shape. Put all the cut out shapes in a bag. Ask a grownup to take one shape out of the bag, but not to show it to you. Ask the grownup to describe the shape without telling you the name of the shape. How many shapes can you correctly identify from the clues? Swap jobs with the grown-up. This time you describe the shape and see if your grownup can guess them. When you have finished playing the game arrange the shapes to create a design. Click here to create your own shape designs online.</p>	<p>This week you could have a look at the art section. You can watch videos about famous artists and learn how to create art inspired by them.</p> <p>Computing – Learn to type – Start at Lesson 1 Click here</p>  <p>Maths Login to the online resource Times Table Rock Stars to practice your multiplication skills!</p> 
Wednesday		<p>Making music Open chrome music lab Choose Rhythm. Create a rhythm pattern. Change the rhythm pattern. Click on this link to see how. Change the percussion instruments and create another rhythm pattern. Explain which is your favourite rhythm pattern. Click on this link to see how</p>	<p>Complete the activities which have been set on mathletics</p>  <p>Story time Choose a story to listen to Click here or listen to David Walliams read one of his stories. Click here</p>

		<p>On paper record your own rhythm pattern. Use shapes and colour. Using your hands can you play your own rhythm pattern. Open chrome music lab Choose Melody Maker. Create a melody by changing the pitch of each note. Click on this link to see how Change the melody. Change the tempo, (speed). On paper record your own melody pattern. Use colour. Sing your own melody.</p>	<p>Maths Click here to use your maths knowledge to compete in the Karate cats maths quiz.</p> <p>Learn a magic trick Click here to learn how to perform a card trick.</p> <p>Small town superheroes Use your English skills to help the superheroes solve the mysteries that occur in a town. Click here to play.</p>
<p>Thursday</p>		<p>Virtual journeys Open Google Earth on your computer <i>or ask a grownup to download the free app on your mobile device.</i> Using the search tool search, in Google Earth, search for your school. Click on the 2D button. You will now have a birds-eye view of your school. Click on this link to see how On paper, draw a map of your school and the area around it. Shade or colour the roads. Label: the school, the playground, houses, flats, shops, trees, parks. Is there anything else you can see? Compare your map with Google Earth 2D. What is the same? What is different? Using the search tool search for The London Eye. What can you see? Make a list. What can you see that is different from the area around your school, what is the same?</p>	

Friday

Finding out about famous explorers

[Click here](#) to watch the BBC video about Christopher Columbus.

Explain to a grownup why he was famous. Write down five things you have found out about Christopher Columbus.

Can you remember what happened in Christopher Columbus' life? Complete the activity to test yourself.

[Click here](#)

Click here to open [DK Findout](#). What other facts can you find about Christopher Columbus? Add them to your list.

Draw a picture of Christopher Columbus' ship 'The Santa Maria'. Choose another explorer to find out about.